DECISION MEMORANDUM

TO: COMMISSIONER ANDERSON

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FROM: TAYLOR R. BROOKS

DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATE: FEBRUARY 16, 2022

SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY'S APPLICATION

REGARDING THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE ENERGY SALES AGREEMENT FROM THE EIGHTMILE HYDRO PROJECT; CASE NO.

IPC-E-22-03.

On February 11, 2022, Idaho Power Company ("the Company") applied to the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") for approval or rejection of the First Amendment to the Energy Sales Agreement ("ESA") between the Company and Eightmile Hydro Corporation ("Seller"). *Application* at 1. The Agreement provides for the purchase of electric energy generated by the Seller's facility which is a qualifying facility ("QF") under the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 ("PURPA"). *Id*.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Commission issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure. Staff recommends that the Commission set a 21-day public comment deadline and a 28-day reply deadline for the Company.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure and set a 21-day public comment deadline and a 28-day reply deadline for the Company?

Taylor R. Brooks

Deputy Attorney General

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